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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
Geography Division, ORR

Project Initiation Memorandum

To: Chief, Geographic Research

Project No.: 60.1813

From: Chief, Geography Division

Date: 26 OCT 1959

1. Subject of Proposed Project: (Is Code Required?)  
**Comparison of Soviet and Non-Soviet Arctic.**
2. Statement of Problem: (Outline to be attached)  
**To assess the assets, capabilities, strengths, and weaknesses of the Soviet Arctic as compared with the Non-Soviet Arctic.**
3. Requester: **Office of DCI**
4. Responsible Analyst and Branch: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
5. Kind and Extent of Cooperation Desired from:
  - a. Other Divisions of the G Area (include maps):  
**D/GC is to be responsible for possibly one map (not reproduced).**
  - b. D/GC Domestic Procurement:
  - c. Other parts of CIA: **R Area and possibly OCI**
  - d. Outside CIA:
6. Estimated Man Hours in D/GC: **80**
7. Probable Completion Date: **30 October 1959**
8. Probable Form of Final Publication: **CIA/RR G/I 59-**
9. Recommendations Regarding Distribution of Finished Report:  
**Requester plus file copies.**
10. Comments: 25X1A9a

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Chief

29 OCT 1959  
Date

Assistant Director, ORR

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